REMARKS

This Supplemental Preliminary Amendment is further responsive in any other manner indicated below.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND FORM PTO-1449 LISTING REFERENCE(S) CITED IN FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

Submitted herewith under separate cover letter is an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) together with Form(s) PTO-1449 listing reference(s) for Examiner initialing to make such art of record in the present application, such IDS being resultant from art cited in a related foreign application(s).

DRAWINGS/SPECIFICATION AMENDED

Further review of the disclosure has revealed a number of items worthy of amendment. For example, reference numerals 24-30 were used both in FIG. 1 and FIG. 2, but were used to indicated differing elements. Reference numeral 2 attached to the second data reproducing apparatus in original FIG. 6 is an inadvertent draftsman error and is corrected to reference numeral 7. For the same reason, reference numeral 16 attached to the MPEG reproducing unit in original FIG. 10 is corrected to 15. Accordingly, appropriate locations of Applicant's specification and drawings have been amended to correct any errors noted.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

It is respectfully submitted that any and all claim amendments and/or cancellations submitted within this paper and throughout prosecution of the present

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please enter the attached formal REPLACEMENT SHEETS for Figures 1, 6 and 10, amended as follows.

Figure 1, reference numeral 24 has been changed to 124, reference numeral 25 has been changed to 125, reference numeral 26 has been changed to 126, reference numeral 27 has been changed to 127, reference numeral 28 has been changed to 128, reference numeral 29 has been changed to 129, and reference numeral 30 has been changed to 130.

Figure 6, reference numeral 24 has been changed to 124, reference numeral 27 has been changed to 127, reference numeral 28 has been changed to 128, reference numeral 29 has been changed to 129, and reference numeral 30 has been changed to 130.

Figure 10, reference numeral 25 has been changed to 125, reference numeral 28 has been changed to 128, and reference numeral 16 has been changed to 15.

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application are without prejudice or disclaimer of any scope or subject matter. Further, Applicant respectfully reserves all rights to file subsequent related application(s) (including reissue applications) directed to any/all previously claimed limitations/features which have been subsequently amended or cancelled, or to any/all limitations/features not yet claimed, *i.e.*, Applicant continues (indefinitely) to maintain no intention or desire to dedicate or surrender any limitations/features of subject matter of the present application to the public.

EXAMINER INVITED TO TELEPHONE

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the local D.C. area number 703-312-6600, to discuss an Examiner's Amendment or other suggested action for accelerating prosecution and moving the present application to allowance.

CONCLUSION

This Supplemental Preliminary Amendment is being filed prior to mailing of a first Action on the merits, and requires no Petition or fee for entry and consideration.

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Attachments:

Three (3) Sheets of FORMAL REPLACEMENT Figures 1, 6 and 10